INDIANA WOMEN'S EDUCATION FOUNDATION Proudly **Presents**

"What positive changes would you make to improve your school?"

An essay contest for 8th grade students throughout Indiana

- Encourage students to write essays
- Encourage teachers, principals, and parents to participate

Detailed information about the contest will be distributed to the schools through the State Office of Education, but your interest in the contest may be just what is needed to get them excited about it!

One winner will be selected from each district. State 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners will be selected from the seven district winners. These three state winners will be announced at the Saturday luncheon at State Convention in April 2010.

- 1st place winner will receive a plaque and a \$200 savings bond 2nd place winner will receive a plaque and a \$100 savings bond
- 3rd place winner will receive a plaque and a \$ 50 savings bond

Each of the seven district winners and his/her parent(s)/guardian(s) and his/her teacher will be invited to attend the Saturday luncheon at State Convention, as guests of the Indiana Women's Education Foundation, Inc.

Detailed information, contest entry forms, and press releases for you to use locally will be available in the Indiana Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club's state office after September 1, 2009. Entries must be postmarked by December 1, 2009.